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Catarrh of the Lungs Threatened Her Life.

Miss Minnie Porter, Braintree, Vermont, writes: "I have been cured by Peruna."
"I had several hemorrhages of the lungs. The doctors did not help me much and would never have cured me. I saw a testimonial in a Peruna almanac of a case similar to mine, and I commenced using it."
"I was not able to wait on myself when I began using it. I gained very slowly at first, but I could see that it was helping me."
"After I had taken it a while I commenced to raise up a stringy, sticky substance from my lungs. This grew less and less in quantity as I continued the treatment."
"I grew more fleshy than I had been for a long time, and now I call myself well."

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Victor Hugo's Superstition.

An amusing story of Victor Hugo is related in a French contemporary. The poet had accepted an invitation to dine at the house of one of those ardent Republicans who at the time were wittily termed "les precieuses radicales."
The dinner hour had passed some time without any announcement that the dinner was served when one of the company, a friend of Victor Hugo, inquired of the hostess the cause of the delay. The latter explained that owing to one of the guests having sent an excuse at the last moment there would be thirteen instead of fourteen at the table, so she had sent to find another to make the fourteenth.
A moment later the same individual was conversing with Victor Hugo. "Do you know why we are waiting?" asked the poet. "Yes," was the reply: "Some imbecile is afraid to sit at table when there are thirteen." Victor Hugo in a solemn and severe tone replied, "L'imbecile, c'est moi."—London Globe.

Why Quail Are Scarce.

Hunters complain bitterly at the scarcity of quail. They fall as if they were shot. The quail which were so plentiful in the summer on the flats, have all disappeared. It is thought they have migrated south. Several years ago the quail were exterminated by a severe winter and the cover was restocked with quail secured in the south. It is now thought a mistake was made in not securing Nebraska quail. The same thing occurred last year, when the birds that were very numerous early in the fall had all gone before the shooting season opened. The Danville Fish and Game Protective Association will doubtless secure a lot of western birds next spring. —The State.

CAPONS BRING MORE.

Two capons bring about 5 cents more than a pound than common poultry. Hatch double the number of wish, desired, for half the hatch ped capons which can be kept for fight. Capons grow larger than or cockerels.—Farmers' Home.

LATE HATCHED CHICKS.

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When flatterers meet the devil to dinner.—French. So. 2-10.

For COLDS AND GRIP. ODDER'S CAPSULES is the best remedy—cures the sore throat and feverishness—cures the cold and restores normal conditions. It's effects immediately. 10c., 25c. and 50c. drug stores.

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PALMETTO HAPPENINGS

News Notes of General Interest
From All Parts of the State.

OVER \$378,000 COLLECTED.

Much Money Sent to the Treasury— Finance in Good Shape.

Columbia, Special.—The finances of the State are in excellent condition, according to a statement made at the State treasurer's office last Monday, the 3rd. Notes aggregating \$100,000 have been paid in interest on the State debt and there is plenty of money to meet all obligations. The total amount of taxes received to date from the county treasurers amounts to \$378,771.35. The following is the statement of the taxes received from each of the counties of the State:

Abbeville...	\$ 5,775.75
Aiken...	11,908.96
Anderson...	2,720.95
Bamberg...	20,180.27
Barnwell...	17,400.02
Beaufort...	8,163.86
Berkley...	10,898.69
Calhoun...	2,940.59
Charleston...	42,814.82
Cherokee...	6,230.76
Chester...	7,944.97
Chesterfield...	8,608.73
Clarendon...	4,431.13
Colleton...	12,605.36
Darlington...	12,049.95
Dorchester...	6,500.00
Edgefield...	2,575.41
Fairfield...	10,295.93
Florence...	3,000.00
Georgetown...	2,017.22
Greenville...	22,000.00
Greenwood...	3,500.00
Hampton...	5,462.31
Horry...	2,500.00
Kershaw...	5,142.03
Lancaster...	1,345.73
Laurens...	11,149.77
Lee...	6,500.00
Lexington...	7,000.00
Marion...	12,281.75
Marlboro...	5,181.04
Newberry...	5,278.04
Oconee...	3,880.00
Orangeburg...	19,423.98
Pickens...	2,512.83
Richland...	13,280.61
Saluda...	2,870.09
Spartanburg...	12,566.00
Sumter...	5,878.19
Union...	11,000.00
Williamsburg...	7,954.51
York...	13,000.00
Total...	\$378,771.35

The State has borrowed during the year \$500,000 for current expenses, this being the limit allowed by law.

TEACHERS ELECT OFFICERS.

Prof. Daniel, of Clemson, is Elected President.

Columbia, Special.—After the most successful meeting in its history, the State Teachers' Association and its affiliated bodies came to a close Saturday. D. W. Daniel, of Clemson College, was elected president of the Association, succeeding W. K. Tate, principal of the Memminger Normal School of Charleston. The following officers for the ensuing year were elected: President, Prof. D. W. Daniel, of Clemson College; vice president, first district, E. P. Waring, of Charleston; second district, H. A. G. Walker, of Denmark; third district, J. I. McCain, of Due West; fourth district, B. E. Geer, of Greenville; fifth district, W. H. McNairy, of Chester; sixth district, E. P. Miller, of Bennettsville; seventh district, L. W. Livingston, of Orangeburg.

The following officers were elected last year for three years, and entered into their second year of office: Treasurer, C. V. Neuffer, Columbia; recording secretary, E. C. McCants, Anderson; corresponding secretary, W. H. Jones, Columbia; member executive committee, L. V. Dick, Abbeville.

Good Roads Meeting.

Columbia, Special.—The South Carolina Good Roads association will meet here January 18th. A letter has been addressed by F. H. Hyatt, president of the association to the county supervisors of the State urging their attendance, also the appointment of a number of delegates from each county. A most successful meeting is expected.

140 New School Houses.

Columbia, Special.—South Carolina has the largest constitutional levy for school purposes in all the Southern States says the State.

The total expenditures for common schools last year was about \$1,500,000. There were 140 new school houses erected during the year at a cost of \$65,319; 96 State high schools have been established; the school year has been extended to 100 days and 21 counties have lengthened the term of the superintendent of schools to four years.

Carolina Bar Association.

Columbia, Special.—The 17th annual meeting of the South Carolina Bar Association meets here on the 20th and 21st of this month. All arrangements have been perfected for the meeting.

Corporation Tax Effective.

Columbia, Special.—The Federal corporation tax, which is effective, will be paid by Carolina corporations.

BACKACHE--A SIGNAL OF DISTRESS

A WARNING THAT MUST NOT BE IGNORED

Pain in the back is the kidneys' signal of distress. If this timely warning is ignored, kidney disease silently fastens its deadly grip—for kidney sickness first shows itself in pains and disorders in other parts, and the real cause is too often hidden until fatal Bright's disease or diabetes has set in. Suspect the kidneys if you are rheumatic and nervous, or have lame back, painful, too frequent or scanty urination, weak heart, dizzy spells, headaches, bloating or neuralgia. What you want is a special kidney medicine—not an experiment, but one that has stood the test for years. Doan's Kidney Pills relieve weak, congested kidneys—cure backache—regulate the urine.



A KIDNEY REMEDY OF 75 YEARS' EXPERIENCE

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS began curing lame backs and sick kidneys 75 years ago. The demand lead a nearby druggist, James Doan, to prepare it for sale. From him the magic formula passed to the present proprietors. Now, as in those early days, Doan's Kidney Pills are made from only the purest drugs and are absolutely non-poisonous. They are used and praised all over the civilized world.



DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS MAKE LASTING CURES

C. P. Bartling, 136 Middle St., New Bern, N. C., says: "For some time I suffered from a severe case of kidney complaint. I had dull, grinding backaches and pains across my loins, and felt miserable in every way. Often I was in such a condition that I could not attend to my work. The kidney secretions were irregular in passage and unnatural, plainly showing that my kidneys were not performing their functions properly. Learning of Doan's Kidney Pills, I decided to try them and procured a box at Bradham's Drug Store. I began their use as directed and in a short time they effected a complete cure." (Statement given Apr. 2, 1903.)

On Jan. 25, 1908, Mr. Bartling said: "I gave a statement publicly recommending Doan's Kidney Pills in 1903 and at this time I gladly confirm all I then said. I have had no trouble from my kidneys since this remedy cured me."

Mrs. Henry Sykes, Field St., Naugatuck, Conn., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills benefited me greatly and I am glad to recommend them. For some time I suffered from a dull, heavy ache across the small of my back and kidneys. My back ached constantly and if I stood in one position for any length of time, or did much stooping, my suffering was greatly intensified. Going up or down stairs also aggravated my trouble. Learning of Doan's Kidney Pills, I procured a box at Brennan's Drug Store, and began their use. The symptoms of my trouble began to disappear immediately and it was but a short time when I was free from kidney complaint. No words can express my high opinion of Doan's Kidney Pills." (Statement given in 1899.) On Oct. 4, 1908, Mrs. Sykes said: "The statement I gave some years ago in favor of Doan's Kidney Pills was correct. Doan's Kidney Pills cured me of kidney disease and I have had practically no trouble from my kidneys since."

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RESOLUTIONS FOR ANY DAY IN THE YEAR.

E. G. Routzahn.

The Well that They May Keep Well!
For the Sick that They May Get Well!

Resolved: That I will take better care of my body.

Resolved: That I will seek to know more about my body and so be better able to give it proper care.

Resolved: That I will try to aid others that they may take better care of their bodies.

Resolved: That I will plan to learn more about the conditions which affect the physical well-being of others.

Resolved: That I will give particular attention, as occasion makes possible, to conditions affecting the

health of the poor, the ignorant and the neglected.

Resolved: That in school, church, club, lodge, union or society I will encourage the discussion of health topics and the suggestion of plans towards better health conditions in the community.

Resolved: That I will endeavor, every day of every year, to

"Sleep in the Fresh Air,"

"Work in the Fresh Air,"

"Play in the Fresh Air,"

"Live in the Fresh Air."

Resolved: That I will present these resolutions, if possible, to every class and society to which I belong.

A PEEVISH PLAIN.

The learned writers for the press Are very, very good.

At proving how we waste on dress Or furbelows or food.

Each writer new who makes his bow With other sages vies To show unhappy mortals how They must economize.

They tell us of the thrifty French Who all excesses shun

But I'm not anxious to retrench; It isn't any fun.

I'm weary of this endless song; I wish some seer wise Would show us how to get along And not economize.

WOMANLY WISDOM.

From January Farm Journal. The young wife: "This rabbit (sob) I've been plucking it (sob) all the afternoon, and it isn't half done yet."

Grind up the meat that is left over stir it up with potatoes and make croquettes for supper. Nice as can be.

Some girls would be successful in obtaining a husband if they would remove the hatpin before setting their caps.

Never wash flannels in water in which cotton clothing has been washed, as there is lint always left in the water that "fills" the flannel.

When making boys' pants, if mother will put in a large piece of the same material in the knees between the lining and outside, it will be there ready when needed.

It isn't safe to buy eye-glasses of peddlers. If your eyes need glasses, go to a reputable oculist or optician in some near-by town or city. Economy is false wisdom when it comes to eye troubles.

It is heavy work to carry up a full scuttle of coal, but if a grape basket is kept at the head of the cellar stairs, and if each time a trip is made to the cellar it is filled and brought up, the scuttle may be kept supplied. Even the children can help do this.

Books, music and good lights may not increase the corn crop, but they wonderfully increase the heart crop; and that is worth a good deal more when it comes to keeping the boys and girls on the farm.

THE POULTRY YARD.

From January Farm Journal. Gather the eggs several times a day.

Clean out the nest boxes and burn the old straw.

A good grain mixture for winter evening feeding is two-fourths whole corn, one-fourth wheat and one-fourth oats.

Changeable weather this month is apt to develop colds. Keep a close watch on the stock, and at once remove an ailing bird from the flock.

A warm, dry coop or cage, and a one-grain quinine pill each night for three nights in succession, will soon bring the bird back to good health.

I kept close watch of my flock, and the hens that began to lay first after molting I put into separate pens. From these pens I gathered my eggs for hatching, and by so doing I have wonderfully improved the laying qualities of my flock. This mating has also been the means of rearing birds with stronger constitutions—more hardy and vigorous.

Ventilation that comes in everywhere through the cracks is not ventilation at all; it is cold shivers up and down the back and lots of discomfort. Don't let it be that way in your houses.

I never crowd too many into one house; six square feet of floor space for each bird is about right. I have found double-board floors, up off the ground, the best. I keep plenty of straw on the floors and grow the grain in this so they can't get to it.

GUMPTION ON THE FARM.

The merry, merry days are here, Most joyous of the year, For the bins are full of fodder, And the farm is mortgage clear.

A run-down farm needs winding up.

Are your insurance policies good and tight?

A man is often known by his paths through the snow.

Some advice is no good until it is tested, and some is no good afterward.

Many a man's honesty has kept him from biting on a get-rich-quick scheme.

A five-cent pocket-book may be the means of making a business man out of your boy.

A man who hurries so fast that he hasn't time to be careful, will always be behind with his work.

It is folly to strike while the iron is hot unless you first know what you are going to make of it.

Storm doors do not look well, but try them this winter and see if their convenience does not overbalance their want of looks.

When the devil can not tempt a man to give up a good fight any other way, he offers him a "broader."

The snail does not break any speed records, but often it goes farther and to better purpose than a two-minute nag on a racetrack.

Providence will never be able to do much for the farmer who treats his cows and horses better than he does his wife and children.

Something wrong with wheels that wobble. Have them fixed up before you drive them over rough roads or you may have a breakdown.

The thing that never comes to any of us, is the thing that is as bad as we think it is going to be.

When you come to make out the contract with your tenant for the new year, put yourself in his place, if you can. It will help you to do just the right thing. And then write it all down.

The hired man who takes notice of the broken rail, or open gate, and remedies the evil at once, is of big value to his employer; but the hand with the unseeing eye who waits to be told every little detail, is an annoyance.

Never mind about the North Pole, but be sure that you remember where you stored the bean poles when you took them up in the fall.

Is the heavy wagon getting a little rusty? Let it go and it may be spoiled by the weather in a few years. But you can paint it yourself. Take it all apart on the barn floor where you can shut the doors and keep out the cold; get some nice smooth wagon paint and a good brush, roll up your sleeves, put on a pair of old

HINTS FOR STOCK OWNERS.

(From January Farm Journal.) Never feed corn alone to hogs. It is false economy.

Carelessness in handling pigs is a bad habit to acquire.

Even on cold days hogs should have plenty of good fresh air.

The idea that anything is "good enough for a pig" is a mistaken one.

Some farmers sell their corn shelled and others dispose of it in the ear, but western farmers find it most profitable to sell it in the hog.

Nowadays draft horses must be matched to sell well.

Choose for the breeding mare a solid color,—dark bay, black or chestnut.

In countries where colts run out the year around, the mature horses have much stronger legs.

Horses off color and with peculiar markings never sell so well as those of solid color; besides they are more difficult to match.

Look out for bad habits in your colts. It is so much easier to keep them out than it is to get rid of them if they once get a hold on the young horse.

All good farmers watch condition of their colts when put into winter quarters. A colt allowed to lose its colt flesh and become thin, will never make the horse he would if kept growing from the start.

Some corn-stalks may be fed to the porkers every day. They are sweet and do the hogs good.

The best feeds are clover hay, a mixture of oats, wheat bran, linseed meal and roots.

The sheep barn must be dry and well ventilated. Foul odors and too much heat bring on pneumonia.

All straw, stalks, etc., used for litter in the sheep barn should be run through a cutter to increase the power of absorption.

A juicy wether hung up in a cold, dry place will provide choice dinners for the family until it is used up. Don't forget to have mashed turnips and butter with it.

A good rack for feeding sheep can be made by almost any sensible farmer. About all that is needed is a support for the hay so that it shall not fall to the ground and be wasted and also be handy for the sheep to get at.

A temper under control is an invaluable asset to a man employed in handling cows.

Make up your mind that you will not let the calves get stunted this winter. Keep them growing. They will be better cows, and better cows are what we are all working for.

It is much better and cleaner not to wipe dairy utensils with a cloth, no matter how white it may be. If the cleansing water is plentiful and the vessels dry much more